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THE STAIN THAT LEADS TO THE DEMON
READ, ENJOY, AND GO HYPER!

A two part short story which will be serialised over 2 months!

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HASUMI NATSUME

死神(?)に魅入られた俺……。

I was entranced by a death god (?)...

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Oni ni Itaru Doro

THE STAIN THAT LEADS TO THE DEMON

(PART ONE)

前編

THE TRANSFER STUDENT I WAS CURIOUS ABOUT...

HE'S NOT DISTANT FROM THE CLASS, NOR IS HE FRIENDLY WITH THEM.
IN THE FEW DAYS SINCE HE ARRIVED AT SCHOOL, HE'S BEEN NEITHER THE NOISY TYPE NOR THE QUIET TYPE.

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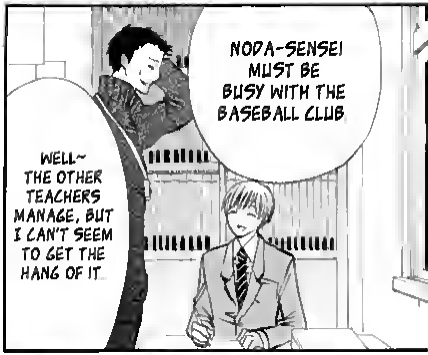
ONE WAY OR ANOTHER HE STARTS TALKING TO ME
Fujimori-kun
SHINOMIYA SEEMS TO LIKE ME.
AS FAR AS I'M CONCERNED...
THE FIRST TIME I MET HIM...
HE'LL HELP YOU, SO TELL HIM IF YOU HAVE ANY TROUBLE.
THAT'S THE CLASS REPRESENTATIVE, FUJIMORI-KUN.

I COULDN'T STAND HIS EYES, WHICH SEEMED TO SEE THROUGH PEOPLE.
PLEASED TO MEET YOU.
PLEASED TO MEET YOU TOO.
I THOUGHT I'D NEVER MEET ONE OF THOSE.

DAMN...
NODA FORCED ME TO DO HIS WORK...
THIS IS A TEACHER'S JOB...
IT'S ALREADY 7 PM...
I'LL GO HOME WHEN THIS IS DONE.
THEN PUT THE STUDENT COUNCIL PAPERS TOGETHER AND MAKE THE DOCUMENTS LIKE THAT.
HEY, FUJIMORI! SORRY THAT YOU'VE HAD TO HELP OUT UNTIL THIS LATE.
THE PRINTER IS LOW ON INK AND PAPER, SO I'LL REPLACE THOSE TOO.

NOT AT ALL! IF IT'S SOMETHING I CAN HELP WITH, THEN I'LL COOPERATE ANY TIME!

THANKS FOR EVERYTHING.
YOU'RE SMART AND YOUR WORK IS NEAT. IT REALLY HELPS THAT YOU'RE AN EXCELLENT STUDENT!
If you don't mind, take this drink.


NODA-SENSEI MUST BE BUSY WITH THE BASEBALL CLUB
WELL~ THE OTHER TEACHERS MANAGE, BUT I CAN'T SEEM TO GET THE HANG OF IT.

YEAH, TAKE CARE ON YOUR WAY HOME.
I'll leave what I've done here.
WELL, I'LL BE GOING HOME SOON.
YOU DON'T HAVE TO PRAISE ME SO MUCH.

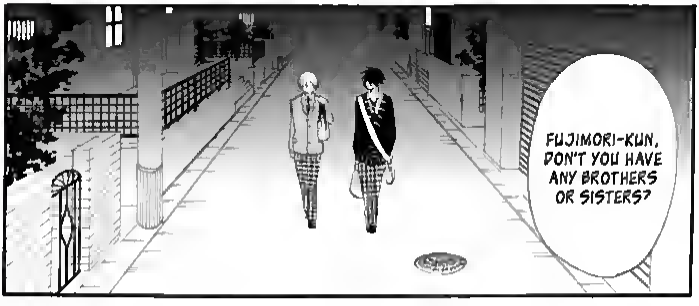
YOU'RE SMART AND YOUR WORK IS NEAT. IT REALLY HELPS THAT YOU'RE AN EXCELLENT STUDENT!
THANKS FOR EVERY-THING
Ah...
BEING PRAISED IS THE MOST IMPORTANT THING IN THE WORLD!
I'm happy....
A LIFE WITHOUT PRAISE IS UNTHINKABLE!

WHAT A COINCIDENCE... YOU'RE STILL AT SCHOOL.

ALTHOUGH THE WORDS HE USED WERE SIMPLE, WHAT'S IMPORTANT IS THAT HE SAID A LOT
FUJIMORI-KUN?

SHINOMIYA KUN.

LET'S WALK HOME TOGETHER.


FUJIMORI-KUN, DON'T YOU HAVE ANY BROTHERS OR SISTERS?

I DON'T. I'M AN ONLY CHILD
HE'S BOUGHT LOTS OF SNACKS AGAIN
NO, MY PARENTS ARE WORKING OVERSEAS, SO I LIVE ALONE
IT'S JUST YOU AND YOUR PARENTS THEN?
WELL, THIS IS MY HOUSE, SO SEE YOU—
HMM~
I KNEW IT. I CAN'T STAND HIM...
I can't tell what he's thinking
AH!

Ah~ What should I do? No one's at home.
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EH?
I haven't got the key to my house!
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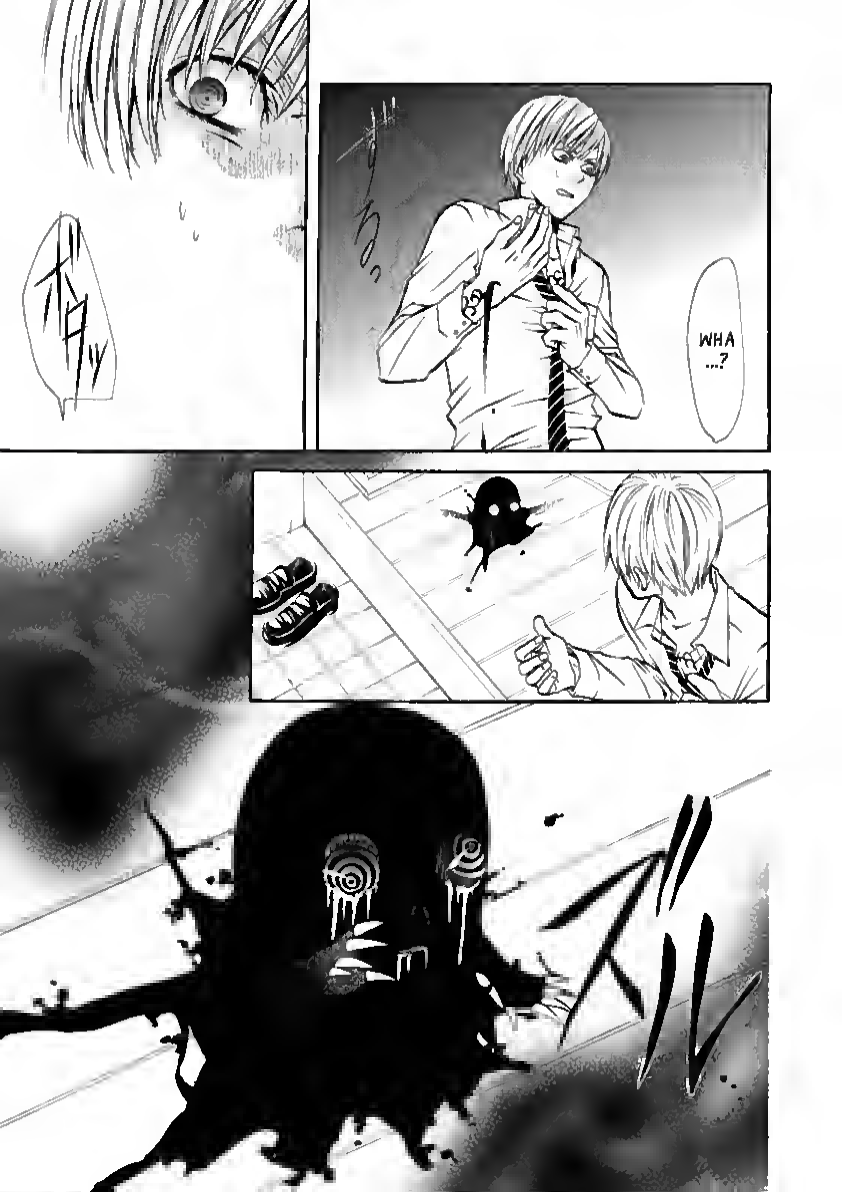
HE'S EXPECTING SOMETHING!
UMM—
WOULD YOU LIKE TO COME IN?
REALLY?! WOW~ THANK YOU!
I FEEL LIKE I WAS SET UP!

COME IN.
I'VE GOT THINGS TO BE DOING...
HURRY UP AND GO HOME ALREADY...
HMM~
I'M REALLY GLAD...

I'D BE IN TROUBLE IF THERE WAS ANYONE HERE AND THINGS GOT NOISY.

OWW..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WHA
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WHAT IS THAT?
IT'S SOMETHING THAT YOU CREATED
DID YOU THINK IT WAS DISGUSTING?

IT'S THE STAIN IN YOUR HEART TAKING SHAPE.
WE CALL IT A DIRT DEMON.
THE MARK ON YOUR HAND IS LIKE A METER.
YOURS HAS ADVANCED QUITE FAR IT'S SERIOUS.
IF THAT MARK REACHES THE TIP OF YOUR FINGER,
YOU'LL BECOME A DIRT DEMON TOO.
WELL, IF THAT HAPPENS, I'LL HUNT YOU DOWN, SO DON'T WORRY.
HUNT...?

AH... BUT...
EH? NO, I'M NOTHING LIKE THAT!
ARE YOU... A DEATH GOD?
JUST LIKE A DEATH GOD, I MIGHT FOLLOW YOU UNTIL YOU DIE.
YESTERDAY, AFTER SHINOMIYA SAID A LOT OF THINGS I DIDN'T UNDER-STAND...
IT'S MORNING

YOU'RE PROBABLY CONFUSED TODAY, SO I'LL GIVE YOU MORE DETAILS TOMORROW.
THOSE WERE THE WORDS HE LEFT ME WITH.
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HE'S STILL SLEEPING ON THE COUCH.
WHAT ON EARTH IS THIS?
I COULDN'T SLEEP A WINK!
JUST SAYING WHAT HE WANTS AND THEN SLEEPING ON THE COUCH WITHOUT ASKING!
THAT'S RIGHT... COULD THIS...
HAVE BEEN ALL A DREAM?
IT'S NOT A DREAM.
UNTIL YOU BELIEVE ME...

I'LL KEEP APPEARING IN THIS FORM.
AH...
WHICH MEANS THIS ISN'T A DREAM.
OWW...
I DON'T KNOW WHY YOU'RE DOING IT, BUT DON'T FOLLOW ME AROUND!
YOU'RE DISGUSTING!
Ah,
YOU FINALLY REVEALED YOUR TRUE COLOURS.
That's what I said

IT WAS DIFFICULT TO STOP MYSELF FROM LAUGHING WHEN I SAW YOUR FAKE SMILE AT SCHOOL.
SHUT UP! THAT'S GOT NOTHING TO DO WITH THIS!
ACTUALLY, IT DOES.
THAT'S PROBABLY WHAT CREATED YOUR DIRT DEMONS.
HUH ..?
I'VE GOT CLASS!
EH ..YOU'RE STILL GOING TO CLASS IN THIS SITUATION?
Of course!

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バタン
Are you really going?
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YOU CAN SEE THEM, RIGHT?
WHY ARE THERE SO MANY?!
DIRT DEMONS ARE EVERYWHERE. THEY'RE LIKE GHOSTS, THERE ARE PEOPLE WHO CAN SEE THEM AND PEOPLE WHO CAN'T
YOU'VE BECOME ABLE TO SEE THEM...

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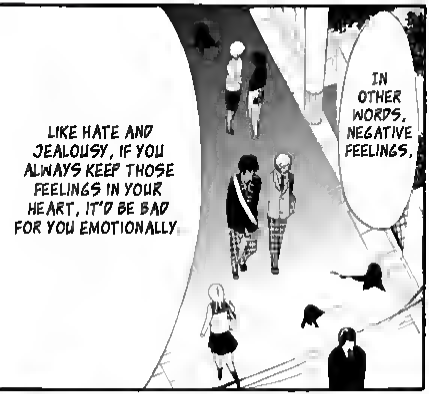
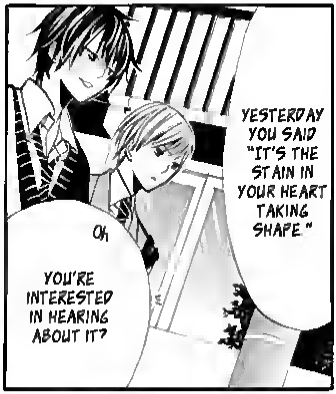
NOWHERE ELSE IS AS FULL OF PEOPLE'S FEELINGS AS A SCHOOL.
IF YOU'RE SHOCKED BY JUST THAT, YOU WON'T BE ABLE TO GO TO SCHOOL


LIKE HATE AND JEALOUSY, IF YOU ALWAYS KEEP THOSE FEELINGS IN YOUR HEART, IT'D BE BAD FOR YOU EMOTIONALLY
IN OTHER WORDS, NEGATIVE FEELINGS.

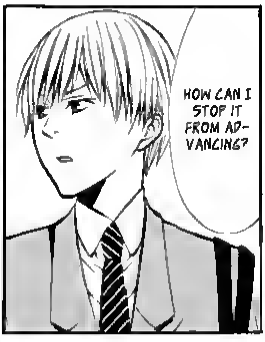

YESTERDAY YOU SAID "IT'S THE STAIN IN YOUR HEART TAKING SHAPE."
OH
YOU'RE INTERESTED IN HEARING ABOUT IT?

SOMETIMES, DIRT DEMONS POSSESS A HUMAN AND DO BAD THINGS, SO THEY CAN'T BE IGNORED
THESE ARE THE ONES THAT HAVE TAKEN SHAPE
JUST LIKE GETTING RID OF WASTE PRODUCTS FROM THE BODY, UNNECESSARY THINGS ARE THROWN AWAY IN ORDER TO KEEP THE SPIRIT HEALTHY
SO THAT'S WHY EVERYONE GETS RID OF THEM UNCONSCIOUSLY

IF IT'S LEFT ALONE...
AND I BECOME THAT MONSTER... A DIRT DEMON, WHAT'LL HAPPEN?
I CAME HERE TO DO SOMETHING ABOUT THAT.
YOU'RE CREATING MORE DIRT DEMONS THAN A NORMAL PERSON.
AT THIS RATE, YOU'LL BE SWALLOWED BY YOUR FEELINGS.

SO THE FIRST ONE I'LL ATTACK WILL PROBABLY BE SHINOMIYA.
PEOPLE YOU HATE, RESENT OR ARE JEALOUS OF, THOSE KINDS OF PEOPLE.
USUALLY, YOU'LL ATTACK THE PEOPLE WHO CAUSED YOU TO BECOME A DIRT DEMON.

HUNT DIRT DEMONS
JUST LIKE I DID YESTERDAY.


HOW CAN I STOP IT FROM ADVANCING?

AH, SOME KID IS GETTING BULLIED
ISN'T THAT TANAKA-KUN FROM OUR CLASS?
There really are a lot of them
SHOULDN'T YOU HELP HIM?
You're a wolf in sheep's clothing
NO.
I HELPED HIM ONCE AND HE GLARED AT ME,
IT'S POINTLESS HELPING SOMEONE IF THEY'RE NOT GRATEFUL.
They really are going all the way
BUT THAT BOY...
HE MIGHT BE LIKE YOU.
FUJIMORI-KUN.

GOOD MORNING, HIMEMIYA-SENPAI!
GOOD MORNING.
UMM... YOU'RE...
I'M SHINOMIYA.
AH, YOU'RE THE TRANSFER STUDENT
FUJIMORI-KUN, THE DOCUMENTS THAT YOU MADE THE OTHER DAY WERE VERY WELL DONE.
Hehe
YOU'RE AMAZING, IT WAS A GREAT HELP
SEE YOU AT TOMORROW'S STUDENT COUNCIL MEETING

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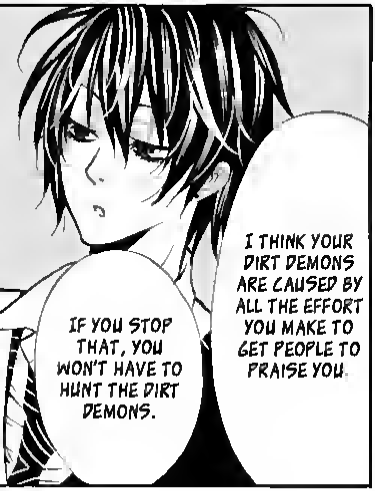
YOU'RE AMAZING
WOW…
THEY WERE VERY WELL DONE.
I'M REFLECTING ON MY HAPPINESS, TALK TO ME LATER…
THAT GIRL SEEMED LIKE SUCH A PRINCESS.
She was sparkling
WAIT.


I THINK YOUR DIRT DEMONS ARE CAUSED BY ALL THE EFFORT YOU MAKE TO GET PEOPLE TO PRAISE YOU.
IF YOU STOP THAT, YOU WON'T HAVE TO HUNT THE DIRT DEMONS.

ARE YOU REALLY THAT HAPPY ABOUT BEING PRAISED?
OF COURSE I AM!
HIMEMIYA-SENPAI IS SPECIAL! SHE DOESN'T PRAISE ANYONE UNLESS SHE REALLY BELIEVES THEY'RE AMAZING!
(Low Voice)
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NEVER MIND BECOMING A MONSTER OR WHATEVER, DYING IS BETTER THAN LIVING WITHOUT PRAISE!
(Low Voice)
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YOU IDIOT!
PEOPLE'S PRAISE IS EVERYTHING TO ME! DOING THE WORK OTHER PEOPLE DON'T LIKE IS JUST A PART OF THAT!
(Low Voice)

HMM~

TANAKA-KUN, ARE YOU OKAY?

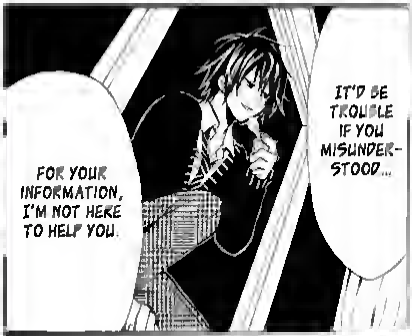
I DON'T CARE EITHER WAY.
WELL, I'VE GOT TO TRY MY BEST AT HUNTING DIRT DEMONS THEN.

SHE'S NICE.
I'M A FAKE, BUT SHE'S THE REAL THING.
SHE'S AN AMAZING PERSON.
Could it be... ♥ bitter-sweet ♥ admiration?
SHUT UP!

HEY~ FUJIMORI-KUN, AREN'T YOU DONE YET?
THE WORK HE JUST ACCEPTED
I WON'T BE DONE FOR A WHILE.
Anyway, does this mean I'll have to be with you all the time from now on?
BUT...
NOW'S NOT THE TIME FOR YOU TO BE TAKING IT EASY.
WHEN DID THIS HAPPEN ...?!
LIKE I SAID, DIRT DEMONS ARE BORN EVERYDAY WITHOUT ANYONE NOTICING. IF YOU DON'T WATCH OUT FOR YOURSELF~.

HERE YOU GO.
AT NIGHT, THE SCHOOL IS THE BEST PLACE FOR HUNTING.
THERE'S NO ONE HERE AND THERE ARE PLENTY OF DIRT DEMONS.

THEY ALL GATHERED AT ONCE...
THE SCYTHE IS ABLE TO HIDE THE ONE WHO HOLDS IT FROM HUMAN SIGHT, AS WELL AS TO SUMMON DIRT DEMONS.


IT'D BE TROUBLE IF YOU MISUNDER-STOOD...
FOR YOUR INFORMATION, I'M NOT HERE TO HELP YOU.

SHINOMIYA. AREN'T YOU GOING TO DO ANYTHING?

I'M JUST HERE TO OBSERVE.
TO DEAL WITH YOU QUICKLY WHEN YOU BECOME A DIRT DEMON.

BEFORE, IT WAS OUR JOB TO HUNT RISK FACTORS LIKE YOU WHO COULD EASILY CREATE DIRT DEMONS.
HOWEVER, IT WAS DECIDED THAT YOU SHOULD HAVE A CHANCE TOO,
AND THAT WE WOULD WATCH OVER YOU IN SILENCE WHILE YOU HUNTED.
YOU REAP WHAT YOU SOW.
WHAT...?
IN OTHER WORDS... HE DOESN'T CARE WHAT HAPPENS TO ME?!
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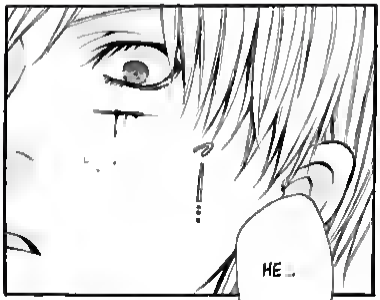
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HE...
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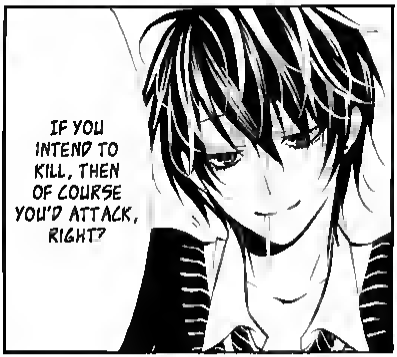
HEY... THEY CAN ATTACK ME TOO?!

UH...!

WHA?


IF YOU INTEND TO KILL, THEN OF COURSE YOU'D ATTACK, RIGHT?

WHAT'S MORE, IT DOESN'T LOOK LIKE HE'S GOING TO HELP ME OUT EITHER!
THIS IS A MESS! HE TELLS ME TO "HUNT",
BUT THIS IS THE FIRST TIME I'VE HELD SUCH A HUGE SCYTHE!
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UH...
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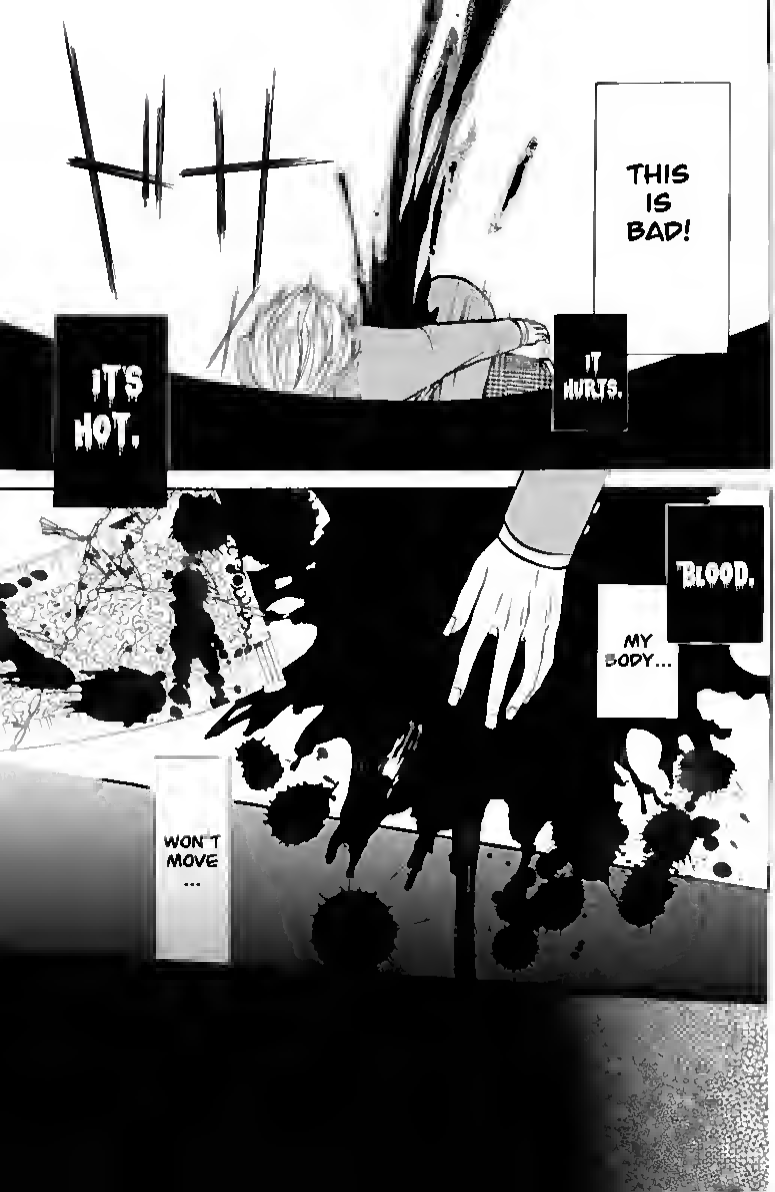
I DID IT...!

AH...
THIS...


THIS IS BAD!
IT HURTS.
ITS HOT.
BLOOD.
MY BODY...
WON'T MOVE ...

◆倒れる藤森…！冷酷に見下ろす篠宮の思惑は――…。後編は1月29日更新です！
SO THIS IS THE END...?
FUJIMORI IS DEFEATED! WHAT IS SHINOMIYA THINKING AS HE LOOKS DOWN AT HIM COLDLY? THE SECOND CHAPTER WILL BE OUT ON THE 29TH OF JANUARY

A 2 part short story, serialised over 2 months!

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僕に従うか僕に殺されるかだ

Will you obey me or be killed by me?

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Oni ni Itaru Doro

THE STAIN-THAT LEADS TO THE DEMON

(PART TWO)

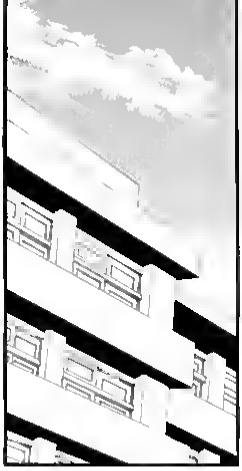
後編

FUJIMORI WAS DEFEATED BY THE DIRT DEMON, BUT...
OWW..
THERE WAS A LOT OF BLOOD.
THAT'S RIGHT, I WAS STABBED IN THE CHEST FROM BEHIND.

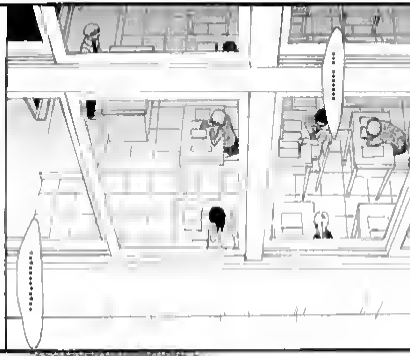
THERE IS NO WOUND
GOOD MORNING, FUJIMORI-KUN
I GOT HURT YESTERDAY, DIDN'T I?
CAN YOU MOVE?
YEAH
!!
SHOULDN'T IT HURT...?
It's not healed on the inside...is that okay?
SERIOUS INJURIES LIKE THE ONE YOU GOT YESTERDAY CAN'T BE HEALED COMPLETELY
Carrying you to your house was difficult
I HEALED YOU THOUGH
IT HASN'T HEALED ON THE INSIDE, BUT IT WON'T AFFECT YOUR LIFE IF IT'S HEALED ON THE OUTSIDE, RIGHT?

IS SMALLER THAN IT WAS YESTERDAY, BUT...
THE MARK
WILL I HAVE TO KEEP DOING THIS FOREVER?
ISN'T THERE ANOTHER WAY?!
YOU DIDN'T SAY ANYTHING ABOUT THEM ATTACKING ME!
I CAN'T GET HURT LIKE THIS EVERY TIME!

YOU DON'T HAVE A CHOICE ANYMORE.
YOU EITHER OBEY ME OR BE KILLED BY ME.
YOU'RE YOUNG, SO YOU'VE GOT TO VALUE LIFE.
yeah.
WORK HARD HUNTING DIRT DEMONS.
YOU'RE...
ANNOYING!
Ah~ He hates me.



THE MARK SOON GREW.



HAVING TO HUNT DIRT DEMONS IN ADDITION TO MY LIFE UP UNTIL NOW— BECAUSE OF THE PAIN AND LACK OF SLEEP, I FEEL AS IF I'M GETTING STRESSED MORE EASILY THAN BEFORE.

Here
THERE WAS A MISTAKE IN THE PART YOU DID
EH? THAT'S NOT POSSIBLE..
FUJI-MORI,
I HAVEN'T MADE ANY MISTAKES UNTIL NOW...
IT'S TRUE...
I CAN'T KEE- CONCEN- TRATING...
I'M SORRY, I'LL FIX IT RIGHT AWAY.
NO, THAT'S OKAY. I'LL FIX IT THIS TIME, BUT I'M COUNTING ON YOU NEXT TIME.

I'M UNABLE TO SMILE ANYMORE...

IT'S A VICIOUS CYCLE.

WHAT ON EARTH AM I DOING THIS FOR?

Nurse's Room
YOU COLLAPSED IN GYM CLASS?
YOU PROBABLY HAVE SLIGHT ANAEMIA, SO JUST REST UNTIL YOU FEEL BETTER
YOU'RE REALLY WORN OUT
SHUT UP, DEATH GOD
I TOLD YOU I'M NOT A DEATH GOD
DEMON
CATER-PILLAR
WORM
I'M FINE WITH DEATH GOD..

I'VE GOT TO GO TO CLASS
EH?!
YOU REALLY DO WORK HARD YOU SHOULD WAIT UNTIL YOU'VE FULLY RECOVERED THOUGH...
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FUJIMORI-KUN

You really are going to...
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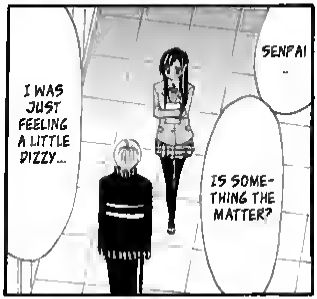
SENPAI..
I WAS JUST FEELING A LITTLE DIZZY...
IS SOMETHING THE MATTER?

I SEE..
YOU DIDN'T SEEM WELL...

IT'S OKAY IF YOU DON'T ATTEND THE STUDENT COUNCIL MEETINGS FOR A WHILE

I'LL MANAGE SOMEHOW DURING THAT TIME
FUJIMORI-KUN, TAKE YOUR TIME RESTING
SEN-PAI,
TAKE CARE
TO ME,
THAT'S THE SAME AS SAYING "WE DON'T NEED YOU ANYMORE"

YOU DON'T HAVE TO COME.
AT THIS RATE...
IF I'M GOING TO BECOME ONE OF THOSE MONSTERS,
THEN NOW...

HEY..
WERE YOU TRYING TO DIE JUST NOW?
Eh
I WASN'T
Ah, you dodged your tongue
EH— YOU'RE LYING
I'M NOT!
YOU CAN'T TAKE THE EASY WAY OUT RIGHT AWAY.
BECAUSE YOU'RE YOUNG, IF YOU DON'T EXPERIENCE WHAT IT'S LIKE TO STRUGGLE—
I'll probably heal you anyway.

SHUT UP.
I'VE HAD ENOUGH.
ANYWAY—
I'M NOT GONNA HUNT ANYMORE.
DO WHATEVER YOU LIKE!
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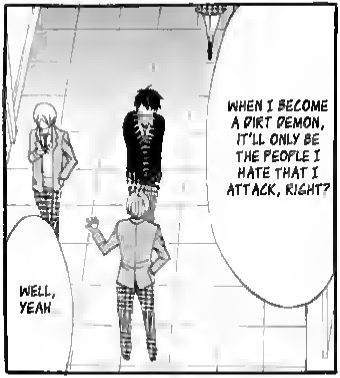
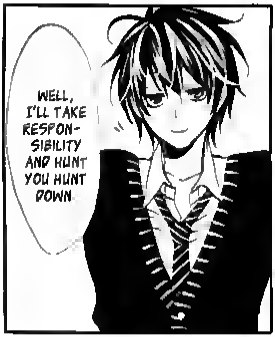
TEXT DEFIANT


WHEN I BECOME A DIRT DEMON, IT'LL ONLY BE THE PEOPLE I HATE THAT I ATTACK, RIGHT?
WELL, YEAH...

EH...YOU'RE GIVING UP?
THAT'S RIGHT!
KILL ME QUICKLY WHEN I BECOME A DIRT DEMON!


WELL, I'LL TAKE RESPONSIBILITY AND HUNT YOU HUNT DOWN...

BUT—
I DON'T THINK IT'S THAT SIMPLE...
THEN I MIGHT BE ABLE TO GET HIM BACK—

WELL, I'M GOING BACK TO THE LIFE I HAD BEFORE YOU CAME! DON'T FOLLOW ME ANYMORE!
I CAN'T DO THAT I DON'T KNOW WHEN YOU'LL BECOME A DIRT DEMON
キリ...
WELL, DON'T COME WITHIN A THREE METRE RADIUS OF ME!
There should be no problem that way!

OKAY!
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I'M BACK TO MY LIFE OF BEING PRAISED!

WHAT HE'S THINKING
But
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IT'S COMPLETE NOW
OKAY
TEXT
PRAISE (XZ)

ズーン
What's with that guy?
What?

スル
SEE YOU, I'VE GOT TO GO TO THE STAFF ROOM.

HER STANDARDS ARE TOO HIGH, SHE COULD HAVE SOUNDED MORE GRATEFUL

DAMN IT.. EVEN THOUGH I SPENT SO MUCH TIME ON IT..

AND...

I CAN'T STAND HER BEING TOO NICE TO EVERYONE
I'LL ALSO SAY THIS...
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HOW UNFORTUNATE~
EVEN THOUGH YOU WORKED HARD MAKING THOSE YESTERDAY...
SHINOMIYA-KUN
Come here
Come
SHINOMIYA-KUN
A MAN'S JEALOUSY IS UNPLEASANT...
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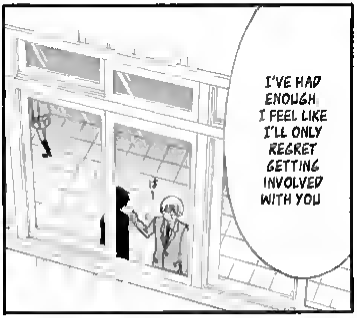
Oh, no
I WAS TALKING TO MYSELF.
SHUT UP. DON'T TRY TO TALK TO ME.
TCH...!

You pulled my sleeve.


I'VE HAD ENOUGH. I FEEL LIKE I'LL ONLY REGRET GETTING INVOLVED WITH YOU

But I can't help him.
TANAKA GOT IN A FIGHT AGAIN. HE'S SO CLUMSY.

You're so selfish.
LOOKS LIKE IT I WAS SUSPICIOUS THE FIRST TIME I SAW HIM.
ANNOYED
WHEN I TALK TO YOU, YOU CAN'T
HEY! COULD HE BE TURNING INTO A DIRT DEMON?!
I'M NOT SUPPOSED TO TALK TO YOU, REMEMBER?
I FEEL SORRY FOR HIM, BUT ONCE SOMEONE GETS LIKE THAT, THEY CAN'T BECOME HUMAN AGAIN

THEY CONTINUE WANDERING IN THAT FORM UNTIL WE HUNT THEM.
ALL THEY WANT TO DO IS HURT THE PEOPLE THEY HATE, AND THAT'S WHAT THEY DO.
SOON THERE WON'T BE ANYONE AROUND THEM.
WHAT IS ..?
HUH?
HMM, THAT'S GOOD.
WELL, NOWADAYS THEY ARE STORIES OF PEOPLE WHO ARE UNABLE TO PUT UP WITH BEING BULLIED COMMIT-TING SUICIDE.
WOULDN'T THEY BE HAPPIER IF THEY DIED AFTER BECOMING A DIRT DEMON AND GETTING REVENGE?

FUJIMORI-KUN,
YOU'RE SUCH A CHILD.

WHAT'S UP WITH HIM? I DIDN'T UNDERSTAND WHAT HE SAID...
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HUH?
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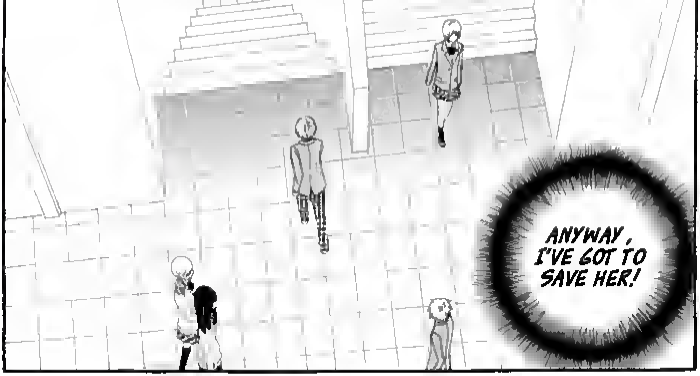
AHHHHH!
WOW... HE'S PRETTY HEARTLESS...

THAT'S RIGHT... THEY CAN'T SEE TANAKA NOW THAT HE'S A DIRT DEMON, SO THEY CAN'T EVEN DODGE...
HIMEMIYA-SENPAI! LOOK OU—
NEVER MIND...
I'm sure he liked her...

...EH?

IT CAN'T BE...
A HUMAN WHO'S BECOME A DIRT DEMON...
DOESN'T ONLY ATTACK THE PEOPLE THE HATE...?
WHY WAS HIMEMIYA-SENPAI ATTACKED?
IT'S IMPOSSIBLE THAT TANAKA COULD HAVE HATED HER!
I'M SURE HE LIKED HER!


ANYWAY, I'VE GOT TO SAVE HER!

SHI-NOMIYA!

WHAT'S GOING ON? DON'T HUMANS WHO'VE BECOME DIRT DEMONS ONLY ATTACK THE PEOPLE THEY HATE?!
HIMEMIYA-SENPAI WAS ATTACKED!
OH? FUJIMORI-KUN, YOU'RE CURIOUS ABOUT HUNTING DIRT DEMONS?

NO WAY! SHE WAS THE ONLY PERSON IN SCHOOL WHO WAS KIND TO HIM!
SHE WAS ATTACKED, WHICH MEANS HE MUST HAVE HAD QUITE A GRUDGE AGAINST HER.
WELL, ESSENTIALLY THAT'S RIGHT... BUT HUMAN FEELINGS ARE COMPLEX.
That's why I said things aren't that simple.
REALLY?
BECAUSE THERE WAS LOVE... DOESN'T THAT MEAN THERE WAS ALSO HATE?
REALLY...?

NO..
PUT IT THIS WAY...
YOU LIKE HER TOO.. BUT HAVEN'T YOU EVER FELT ANNOYED AT HER?
ANYWAY, HER STANDARDS ARE TOO HIGH
I CAN'T STAND HER BEING TOO NICE TO EVERYONE
HAVEN'T YOU FELT HURT OR ANNOYED BY LITTLE THINGS SHE'S DONE?
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MAYBE HE WAS ASHAMED AT BEING BULLIED AND THOUGHT "WHY DOESN'T SHE HELP ME FOR ONCE?"
ON THE OTHER HAND..
HIMEMIYA-SENPAI WAS THE ONLY ONE KIND TO TANAKA-KUN

"LOVE AND HATE ARE TWO SIDES OF THE SAME COIN"
PEOPLE HAVE SAID SOME CLEVER THINGS IN THE PAST.
THEN...
ME TOO...?

SHUT UP!
FUJIMORI-KUN, TRY YOUR BEST! THIS IS A CHANCE TO GET MORE POINTS!
Go for it ♥
SEN-PAI!
SENPAI! ARE YOU OKAY?!

FUJIMORI-KUN...
SENPAI! ARE YOU OKAY?!
ANYWAY, WE'VE GOT TO GO SOMEWHERE HE CAN'T SEE...
WHEN I APPROACHED HIM, HE DISAPPEARED ALL OF A SUDDEN..
SENPAI..
I SAW TANAKA-KUN...
WHAT HAPPENED JUST NOW?

I'M SURE THAT TANAKA DIDN'T THINK HE HATED HIMEMIYA-SENPAI.
IF HE DID IT UNCONSCIOUSLY, THEN THERE'S NO GUARANTEE THAT I WON'T BE THE SAME IF I BECOME A DIRT DEMON.
AM I...
THE SAME AS HIM?

BEING SWALLOWED BY YOUR FEELINGS AND LOSING YOUR SENSE OF REASON,

THEN BECOMING A DEMON AND EVEN ATTACKING THE PEOPLE YOU LIKE

AN UGLY MONSTER.

WOULDN'T THEY BE HAPPIER IF THEY DIED AFTER BECOMING A DIRT DEMON AND GETTING REVENGE?
THAT'S NOT A GOOD THING.

AS IF I'D BECOME ONE OF THOSE!
AH
FUJIMORI-KUN!?
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THIS IS...
PRETTY BAD...
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THE MARK...
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I SHOULD BE OKAY FOR A WHILE NOW...
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FUJIMORI-KUN, YOU'VE GOTTEN GOOD AT USING THE SCYTHE!
Ohhh
AH, THAT WAS DANGEROUS! I WAS ALMOST DONE FOR!

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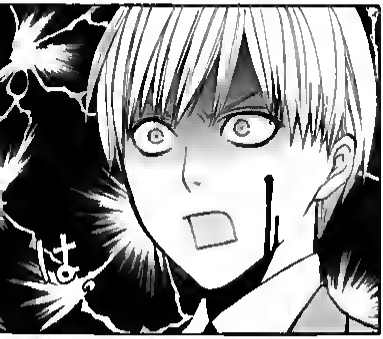
THANKS FOR HELPING ME!



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DAMN IT!
You really saved me.
IF I'D LET HIM DIE, I COULD HAVE BEEN FREE!
FUJIMORI-KUN, YOU STOPPED YOURSELF FROM BECOMING A DIRT DEMON...
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WELL, I'LL BE FOLLOWING YOU AROUND FOR A LITTLE LONGER.
I LOOK FORWARD TO WORKING WITH YOU ♡
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NO!
YOU REALLY ARE DISGUSTING! STAY AWAY FROM ME!
TRY YOUR BEST, FUJIMORI-KUN I'LL BE WAITING PATIENTLY UNTIL YOU DIE
THAT'S TOO LONG!
DON'T TALK TO ME UNLESS I TALK TO YOU FIRST
DON'T COME WITHIN A 5 METRE RADIUS OF ME
FINALLY, STOP DOING DISGUSTING AND ANNOYING THINGS!
Okay okay
THAT LAST PART WAS JUST HIM BEING ABUSIVE..

WAIT FOR MY NEXT APPEARANCE!

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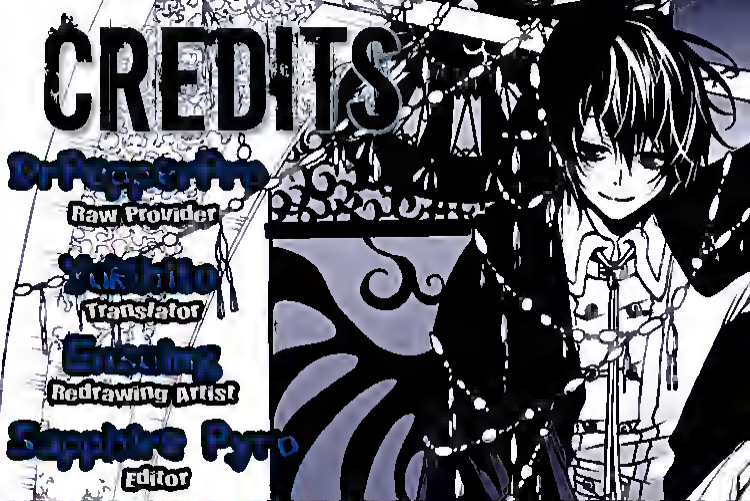
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